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James Richardson

The College

Dear Professor Richardson:

As you know, for a number of months I had been considering how to best reorganize the college's New Media Program to promote growth in the major, improve curricular offerings, and ultimately engender greater student success. I want to commend your insight – and your determined advocacy – in insisting that the program needed to be organized in such a way so as to maximize interdisciplinary connections. Your expertise in the new media field enabled you to marshal a strong rationale for such a position – and influenced by your argument, the academic leadership across three departments were able to come to a stronger, much more cross-disciplinary organizational structure for the new media program. I thank you for your contribution and eagerly look forward to the full implementation of this new organizational structure as well as new curricular offerings in the program.

Sincerely,

Dr. Paul Arcario
Provost and Sr. Vice President for Academic Affairs